PATENT APPLICATION



In re the Application of:

SHIGEYAMA, et al.

Group Art Unit: 3682

Application No.: 10/628,585

Examiner: Unknown

Filed: July 29, 2003

Attorney Dkt. No.: 107348-00360

For: STEERAGE LOCKING SYSTEM FOR VEHICLE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Director of the U.S. PTO P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: January 13, 2004

Sir:

Applicant(s) petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated October 24, 2003 from December 24, 2003 to January 24, 2004.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$110 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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Respectfully submitted,

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